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Please see the attached formal response, and feel free to call me at (512) 343.6116 should you have any questions concerning the attached.

1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

Respectfully submitted,

Brian F. Russell

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**CENTRAL FAX CENTER****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE****MAR 24 2005**In re Application of:  
**BLOCK ET AL.**Serial No.: **09/800,398**Filed: **MARCH 5, 2001**Title: **APPARATUS FOR FILTERING  
INTER-NODE COMMUNICATION IN  
A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM**§ Attorney Docket No.: **ROC920000225US1**

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Examiner: **MICHAEL J. MOORE, JR.**Group Art Unit: **2666****RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This response is submitted in answer to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated **March 16, 2005**, having a shortened statutory period set to expire **April 16, 2005**.

Please find attached a corrected "Amendments to the Claims" section of Applicant's Amendment A, filed December 20, 2004, which now provides a complete listing of all claims.

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37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

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